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PLEASE REJECT NAB'S PETITION 04-160

why, in a competitive society, does the Federal Government choose to consider reducing my opportunity to select a service which I am willing to pay for? Our government has always been about reducing monopoly and allowing competitive forces to control the marketplace. If the private broadcasting companies take exception to the weather and traffic reports broadcast on xm radio then let them improve their services so everyone will listen to them. The value of instant reports at the same channel location, 24/7, in major cities across the U.S. is extremely high for those who travel a little or a lot as well as those who do not travel at all. Please do not limit xm satellite radio in their programming but instead allow them to continue to expand and provide the informational and entertainment services that benefit us all.